

# The System Only Dreams in Total Darkness

## The National

[Verse 1]

Maybe I listen more than you think  
I can tell that somebody sold you  
We said we've never let anyone in  
We said we'd only die of lonely secrets[Chorus]  
The system only dreams in total darkness  
Why are you hiding from me?  
We're in a different kind of thing now  
All night you're talking to God[Verse 2]  
I thought that this would all work out after a while  
Now you're saying that I'm asking for too much attention  
Also no other faith is light enough for this place  
We said we'd only die of lonely secrets[Chorus]  
The system only dreams in total darkness  
Why are you hiding from me?  
We're in a different kind of thing now  
All night you're talking to God[Bridge]  
I cannot explain it  
Any other, any other way  
I cannot explain it  
Any other, any other way[Chorus]  
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Any other, any other wayI cannot explain it  
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